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Hi,

I would just like to comment on the Microsoft anti-trust case. I know quite a bit about computers. I feel Microsoft has taken over the computer industry. I have seen many good companies that made a better product, but were bought out by or put out of business. I've seen good programs that are coded well but no longer are available because of Microsoft. One can argue "It's a free country, they can do what they want". The truth of the matter is we have many freedoms in this country however we have no freedom of choice when it comes to Microsoft. There are other operating systems available, but who can go up against Microsoft. You may have the best product, but you're never going to sell it because Microsoft won't let you. Does that sound like freedom to you?

very truly yours

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